

## **Hyrum Albert Anderson**

Hyrum Albert Anderson, son of Andrew R. and Nelsina A. Anderson, was born March 9, 1881, in Lehi, Utah, the only one of a large family to remain on the farm.

His schooling was not extensive as work in the late fall and early spring took him from school. He was an active church worker and served as president of the Young Men's Mutual Improvement Association, Elder's and Seventy's quorums, Superintendent of the Sunday School, serving in each capacity for many years.

He was called on a mission January 25, 1902, and served for two and one half years in Norway.

He was married January 31, 1906, to one of Lehi's most prominent young ladies, Mary M. Whipple, better known as May Whipple. She served in some church office most of her life. Four children were born to them: H. Dale, Phyllis, Fay and May Beth.

He was chosen Bishop of the Lehi First Ward July, 1928, and served until January 9, 1938. In this capacity he found great employment and made a host of friends. During this time the old meeting house was reconstructed into an amusement hall and class rooms. The plan called for a chapel and other rooms to the south, but he was released before construction on the latter was begun.